

**Amendments to Specification**

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The tetrafluoroethylene based polymer is preferably polytetrafluoroethylene or a copolymer of tetrafluoroethylene with at least one comonomer selected from the group consisting of fluoro(alkyl vinyl ethers) represented by formula  $\text{CF}_3\text{-(CF}_2\text{)}_n\text{-O-CF=CF}_2$  (where n is 0, 1, or 2), hexafluoropropylene, and ~~perfluorobutylethylene~~ perfluorobutyl ethylene.

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When the tetrafluoroethylene based polymer is a copolymer of tetrafluoroethylene and a fluorine-containing monomer, the comonomer fluorine-containing monomer includes chlorotrifluoroethylene, hexafluoropropylene, fluoroalkylethylene fluoroalkyl ethylene, ~~perfluoroalkylethylene~~ perfluoroalkyl ethylene, fluoroalkyl-fluorovinyl ether and the like. The particularly preferred comonomer is at least one comonomer selected from the group consisting of fluoroalkyl-fluorovinyl ether compounds, hexafluoropropylene, and perfluorobutyl ethylene.